

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
DISTRICT OF MARYLAND**

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Re: United States of America v. Michael D. Hicks, Civil No. CCB-06-594

Dear Counsel and Mr. Hicks:

This will confirm the results of the agreement reached at the hearing today on the Order to Show Cause. Mr. Hicks has agreed to provide financial statements and supporting documents to the government **within 30 days** and to file his tax returns for the years 2001 - 2005 **within the next 60 days**. The government should provide a status report no later than **August 10, 2006** advising whether the petition can be dismissed.

Despite the informal nature of this letter, it should be flagged as an opinion and docketed as an order.

Sincerely yours,

/s/

Catherine C. Blake
United States District Judge

cc: IRS Officer C. Guido